

June 1879

Frank

F.W. WOOLWORTH opened his 1st store

He was 27. Born 1852. Died in 1919

1997 - The organization is going
bankrupt. Selling last of
400 stores - July 1997

His HQ store was in Watertown N.Y.

In 1966 they held the last annual
meeting in this store

Born in Rodman, N.Y. Raised in West Bend
Jefferson County. Born on grandfather's farm
from 40 mi from Canadian Border

In Hayday - 2,100 stores

Borned in Brooklyn, N.Y.

Owned "FOOT LOCKER" "KINNEY SHOE STORES"

"WOOLCO" STORES

1992 - closed 900 stores

1993 - closed 1000 stores

1996 - 5 & 10's reported a loss of 37M &

owns "CAMPS" "NORTHERN REFLECTIONS"